

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Beverly Ann Buncumb,

Plaintiff,

v.

Kilolo Kijakazi, Acting Commissioner of the  
Social Security Administration,

Defendant.

C/A No. 0:22-1209-PJG

**ORDER**

Plaintiff seeks an award of attorney's fees pursuant to the Equal Access to Justice Act ("EAJA") in the amount of \$4,027.32. (ECF No. 18); see 28 U.S.C. § 2412. The motion was accompanied by a statement of hours and expenses by Plaintiff's attorney which supports the motion. Defendant filed a response indicating that she does not object to the amount requested by Plaintiff. (ECF No. 19.)

The court has reviewed the motion, as well as the supporting underlying documentation, and finds that the total fee request, hours expended, and hourly rates are reasonable and authorized under applicable law. See Grisbrecht v. Barnhart, 535 U.S. 789, 796 (2002).

Accordingly, it is

**ORDERED** that Plaintiff be granted attorney's fees pursuant to the EAJA in the amount of \$4,027.32. EAJA fees awarded by this court belong to Plaintiff and are subject to offset under the Treasury Offset Program (31 U.S.C. § 3716(c)(3)(B) (2006)). In the event Plaintiff has no present debt subject to offset and Plaintiff has executed a proper assignment to Plaintiff's counsel, Defendant is directed to make the payment due to Plaintiff's counsel. If Plaintiff has no debt subject to offset and no proper assignment has been made by Plaintiff to counsel, Defendant is

directed to make the check due pursuant to this Order payable to Plaintiff and delivered to Plaintiff's counsel.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

November 17, 2022  
Columbia, South Carolina

  
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Paige J. Gossett  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE